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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

How Andy Johnson's Speech is Received.

NEW YORK March 23.—Andrew Johnson's speech yesterday disappointed public expectations as it is in a manner commonplace and ungenerous. Still its verbose commonplace and ungenerous. Still its verbose commonplace and independent treatment of the Southern question is claimed by friends as calculated to impress the masses with the danger of Grant's policy.

Freight Tariff Overland.

Following are the rates established by the Union Pacific railroad for freight from Chicago to San Francisco. First class, $1 per cwt. second class, third class, fourth class A, B, C, D, E, F, G.

Murder of a Woman.

BOSTON March 23.—Last night the body of Mrs Mary Bingham a widow about 30 years old was found in the cellar of her mother's house in Webster street East Boston. The police are looking for the murderer.

Railway Matters.

COLUMBUS, Ohio March 23.—The Senate to-day passed the bill prohibiting railroad officials or employes from being connected with the so-called fast freight lines.

Commercial Failure.

NEW YORK March 23.—A Mobile dispatch says the failure of Preston & Stetson, the Mobile branch of the Boston firm is announced. Liabilities $250,000 assets not stated.

Stock Exchange to Observe Good Friday.

NEW YORK March 23.—The governing committee of the Stock Exchange has granted the request to close the Stock Exchange on Good Friday and recommend that contracts falling due on that day be settled on the preceding day.

The Gold Exchange Does Likewise.

NEW YORK March 23.—The Gold Exchange resolved to adjourn over Good Friday.

Notable Death.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 23.—Ex Congressman John Hicman died to-day aged 65.

A Terrible Tornado in Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS March 23.—A destructive tornado visited Opelousa Valley Friday last, between Smith land and Kay's Point. Loss of life and property is reported to be very great. Mrs James Agair and children are among the killed. Smithland was leveled to the ground and at Kay's Point the plantation houses, houses, barns horses and cattle were killed, houses, barns, horses and cattle were killed, houses, barns, horses and cattle were killed, houses, barns,

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CITY.

GROUNDED —During a heavy gale on Sunday night the ship *Isaac L. Tracy* which was lying opposite Cape Hancock below Astoria was driven on the Middle Sands and grounded When the gale came on there was but one anchor out which was found insufficient to hold the ship She continued to drag anchor until the Middle Sands were reached In the prevailing darkness the condition of affairs could not be determined and the captain wisely concluded to wait for the welcome light of day Early on Monday morning the tug went down from Astoria and aided by the high tide, succeeded in getting the vessel safely off She is not damaged in the least and will sail for her destination the first favorable opportunity by which will be also the last to be crossed

WORK NEARLY COMPLETED —For the past three weeks or more work has been going vigorously forward at the Upper Umatilla Rapids and considerable quantities of stone blasted out and removed from the channel The work has been pushed forward with all possible haste so that the rise of the Columbia would not interfere with operations before the completion of the required improvement to the channel We understand that the work required by the contract will soon be accomplished General Michler will start up the Columbia a some time during next week By that time operations will have ceased when the work will be officially inspected and if found in accordance with the specifications of the contract accepted

HEAVY STORM —Since Saturday a heavy rain and wind storm has prevailed along the Sound, extending as far north as Victoria From Saturday evening until yesterday morning the lines between Portland and points north of Vancouver were prostrated At Tacoma a heavy gale prevailed for some time accompanied with hail and rain, during the continuance of which the telegraphic lines were raised several times, but prostrated again by the violence of the gale Scarcely less violent did the storm, prevail at Seattle and other points along the Sound Snow has fallen at Victoria for several days past Yesterday the line was working to Victoria but imperfectly and with considerable labor

LAST WEEK —According to the law, all county taxes remaining unpaid on the assessment roll will be declared delinquent one week from to day—March 31st It will then become the duty of the sheriff to make out a delinquent list and deliver the tax roll into the hands of the county clerk, who will make the proper entries therein and return the book to the sheriff This list will then be published and an opportunity afforded delinquents to come forward and pay their taxes *with costs* In accordance with law, property belonging to persons who refuse or neglect to pay their taxes will be sold by the sheriff

STEAMER SHUBRICK.—The lighthouse tender, the steamer *Shubrick*, is now at Astoria having arrived there several days since from San Francisco To-morrow the steamer will sail for the north, visiting, for purposes of inspection all the lighthouses along the coast On her return to San Francisco the *Shubrick* will also visit the several lighthouses along down the coast Capt. Kempff, lighthouse inspector of this district, will accompany the *Shubrick* on the trip, and then return to Astoria on the regular steamer

TOWN AND GOWN.—The lecture announced several days since on the above subject by the Rev Mr Bentley A M, will take place this evening at the Taylor street M E church We are always glad to chronicle a new addition to our corps of lecturers in Portland, and we hope, notwithstanding other attractions that the church may be well filled, and we doubt not all who go will be pleased and instructed Information in regard to price of admission, etc, can be found in the advertisement on the second page,

WEATHER REPORT —From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon March 23, 1875

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P
Thermometer	46°	48°	46°
Wind, direction	S E	S L	S E.
Wind, velocity	0	10	2
Weather	L L Rain	L L Rain	Cloudy
Minimum temperature			40
Rain fall			0.85

HEAT FOR NEW BOAT —All the timbers for the hull of the new steamer to be constructed *the present season*, by the W R T Co, have been got and are ready to be placed in position Mr. Stilwell, the contractor, will commence in a few days to lay the keel for the new boat She will be built at the upper sawmill

LOCAL BREVITIES.

All Fools day approaches

Arrived—steamer *Orellamme*

Pay your taxes and save costs

"Rip Van Winkle" this evening

The ball season will soon come to a close.

The county court has adjourned without day

Considerable current is visible in the Wallamet river

The schooner *McCluskey* is now loading with slave bolts at Carroll's Point

The sailors were engaged yesterday in reefing the sails on board the ship *Arameo*

March came in like a lion and goes out like a—well, there is no certainty about that

There will be a grand rush for seats this forenoon Go early if you wish to secure them

Two pair of new shoes are now at the police headquarters awaiting identification by the owner.

The remains of the late August Steeglich, who died in San Francisco, are on board the steamer *Orellamme*

Ticket No. 10 673 in the Louisville lottery drew the capital prize $30,000 How much interest have you in it?

Large quantities of smelt are being caught down the river and the markets here are well supplied with these fish.

The case of Charles Sykes arrested for a dangerous assault on Ollie Mills was postponed till next Saturday

The report that the *Bulletin* man interviewed Rev Mr Bentley a little boy to find out what Town and Gown meant, is undignantly denied

A fine double barreled shot gun will be raffled off this evening at 7½ o'clock at the Occidental hotel Only a few more chances for sale.

C Atkinson for the larceny of two pair of shoes was placed in durance vile and will be required to answer the charge in police court this morning

The old ferry boat—*Portland No 1*—which has made many thousand trips between the eastern and western shore now lies scuttled on the other side

We understand that there are a number of small boys in this city who are in the habit of carrying pistols about their persons More obituaries in prospect

This morning the schooner *Hera* will go down the river having completed her cargo for San Francisco She will carry away 100 doors for the Palace Hotel and about 300 tons of wheat.

People with old umbrellas always explain that somebody left it in the place of mine but it generally looks as if it had been abandoned by its original owner about two years ago.

In the case of Mrs Anna Regan vs Thomas Regan in the State circuit court a decree of divorce was granted last Friday Through inadvertence mention of the case was omitted in our regular court proceedings

On the steamer *Idaho* Col Dudley Evans Wells Fargo's agent in this city forwarded to Lincoln Nebraska five boxes of clothing for the sufferers Four of these boxes were donated by the citizens of Portland

SOCIAL EVENTS

This evening the East Portland Social Club will give a complimentary soiree at the Odd Fellows Hall This will be the closing soiree of the season A very enjoyable affair can be anticipated

PERSONAL.

T G Hendricks, Esq of Eugene was visiting this city yesterday

THE COURTS

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

TUESDAY March 23 1875

Andrew Sailing a native of Bavaria admitted to citizenship

U S vs Robert Targrave defendant sentenced to imprisonment two months in the county jail

U S vs John A Carr—Indictments Nov 139 and 144—Extorting money under color of office—Demurrers to the indictments

In support of the demurrer it was maintained (1) That § 12 of the act of March 3rd (Stat 119) defining the crime of extortion under color of office was not extended over Alaska by § 1 of the act of July 27 1868 (Stat 240) which only included the laws of the United States relating to customs commerce and navigation and not apply to said § 1 as amended in 1873 so as to make it include §§ 20 and 21 of the Indian Intercourse act of 1834 and therefore this court had no jurisdiction to punish the crime, although it be one

For the prosecution it was replied (1) That said § 7 applied to and gave this court jurisdiction over all violations of all laws extended over Alaska by said § 1 as amended, that for the time being it applied to said § 1, as it might be no force, whether its scope was diminished or increased by Congress as compared with what it was when first enacted, (2) That if this were otherwise it being admitted that said §§ 20 and 21 are in force in Alaska by virtue of said § 1 as amended in 1873 this court has jurisdiction to punish the defendants for any violation of them it appearing that they were apprehended upon said charges in this district, or first brought here

The demurrers, as in the Carr cases, were overruled *pro forma*

U S vs Frederick Seaver defendant arraigned and plea of not guilty entered

Grand jury called, and A Hurgren excused for the term

U S vs Charles McDonald hearing on demurrer to indictment demurrer sustained and order that the matter be resubmitted to the grand jury

Marcellus Falconer a grand juror, upon affidavit filed, excused for the term

Adjourned until to morrow at 10 o clock, A M

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK J

Geo Reid vs R J McWilliams order of decree entered

Mary Wetmore vs W C Wetmore and J P O Lownsdale decree of divorce granted

Caroline Vantine vs First Evangelical Lutheran church leave granted sheriff to amend return of summons and default taken against the First Evangelical Lutheran church

Andrew J Knott vs Jos and Levi Knott order to show cause on Monday at 9 o clock A M, why an injunction should not issue and a receiver be appointed.

M J Gleason vs Pat Tray motion to retax costs argued and submitted

Court adjourned until next Monday at 9 A M

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD J —HASSON AND HOLMAN COMMISSIONERS

IN LAW

Isaac Barnes vs Thos Dean reargued submitted and taken under advisement cause continued until first day of next term

Court adjourned without day

OPENING NIGHT

This evening the dedication of Ankeny's new Market Theater to the drama will take place we doubt not in the presence of an immense assemblage of our citizens As previously announced the new season will be inaugurated by a new company, with the presentation of the fabulious drama of "Rip Van Winkle" —a play rendered famous and world-wide by the inimitable personation of the title *role* by Joe Jefferson Mr James A Herne, an actor of acknowledged sterling qualities will make his debut this evening in the character of Rip Van Winkle—a character in which it is generally conceded he is only surpassed by Jefferson himself The other members of the company are now to this public with but a few exceptions and we are led to believe are actors and actresses of recognized merit and ability Just how well they will establish their claim to the appellation of artists this evening's trial will prove With Mr Herne in the title *role* and efficiently supported by a full and legitimate company the public can rest assured that the play will be rendered in first class style Added to this can be enumerated all the desirable accessories of scenery mechanical properties and a most excellent orchestra The sale of reserved seats will take place this forenoon when a grand rush may be expected From parquet to gallery there will scarcely be standing room this evening

THE KENTUCKY LOTTERY

Since we made the announcement that a partial list of the prizes drawn was to be seen at this office quite a number abroad have requested us to publish it The following are the numbers and prizes of one thousand dollars and upwards

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AMUSEMENTS

The Adolph minstrel troupe will open this evening at Astoria for a short season and will return to Portland in few days The Astorians have lots of fun in prospect

New goods at Johnson & Quinn's on Stark street two doors west of the Portland Gas Co's office.

IN TROUBLE

A YOUNG MAN ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES AND HELD TO BAIL FOR HIS APPEARANCE

Notice has been given of the arrest of a young man named Luke Kuykendall who recently came down the Columbia on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses The circumstances of the young man's coming off and arrest are about as follows Some days ago Kuykendall obtained by some means a [illegible] unknown a certificate of deposit to the amount of $[illegible] at the Bank of British Columbia This certificate of deposit was in favor of a man named [illegible] and is now in the hands of C H Wilson who also lives down the river Wilson is a neighbor of Kuykendall and came up to Portland He soon after presented the certificate of deposit but the bank officials refused to pay the money as the signature of Wilson had been tampered with in an effort made by Kuykendall to change the initials the earlier he stated about accepting it Finding that he might get into difficulty if he persisted in the matter Kuykendall withdrew His check of [illegible] was then handed in on Friday or Saturday of last week Kuykendall

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UNCLE HEB.

HOW THE OLD MAN DIED—TAKING HIS LAST LUXURY ON EARTH.

His full name was Hebdon Wright Tanner, but everybody called him "Heb." He must have passed his sixtieth birthday, but no one cared to look a second time to see if he was growing old and wearing out. He chored around livery stables and saloons, always hungry and always ragged, and while no one was his friend he had no enemies.

The other day he fell down in a faint in a saloon on the river road, and when he was restored to consciousness he startled the three or four men who had placed him on the bed by exclaiming:

"Boys, I'll be darned if I ain't going to die!"

"No one had ever stopped to think whether Uncle Heb was ever going to die. It was the general impression among his acquaintances that he would live along for three or four hundred years.

"How do you feel?" they asked.

"Kinder trembly and weak," he replied. "I'll bet fifty cents I'll kick the bucket afore noon!"

They offered to bring a doctor, but he said:

"No, don't take any trouble; 'tend right to business as usual, and when I kick the beam plant me quietly and without any style!"

The men imagined that it was mere weakness, which would pass off, and one of them sat down near him while the others retired to go about their business.

"It's tough weather for a funeral!" remarked Uncle Heb, as the fierce wind howled around the house. "It don't make any difference how I'm carried up; I wouldn't know if there were sixteen hacks and a brass band; just as lief go up alone with the driver!"

After a pause he smiled blandly and inquired: "They'll speak of me as the late deceased, won't they? Yes, of course! I should like to read the papers to-morrow and see what they say of me, but I won't be here, you know."

"Have you any property to dispose of?" asked the watcher.

"Lemme see!" mused Uncle Heb. "Yes, that's an extra pair of butes and a hat and about 17 cents in money. I suppose the right way would be to have executors pinted, but, as I said before, I don't want any fooling around. You can divide up the estate between you."

The old man was very pale, and he seemed to be suffering, and the watcher was anxious to do something.

"I tell you," replied Uncle Heb, "I'd like some brandy. If it wasn't just as it is I wouldn't put you to any trouble, but being I'm going away to stay I'd like a few swallers of real peach brandy—some of that in the fancy decanter!"

Some was brought to him, and he smacked his lips, smiled, and remarked:

"If I wasn't going to die I'd try and lay in a jag or two of that brand!"

About five or ten minutes more the nurse asked him if he didn't feel better.

"Feel better?" echoed the old man, "how can a dying man feel better? Do you suppose I'd be fooling around here if I wasn't going to expire?"

The man sat down, and Uncle Heb continued:

"As soon as I go up the spout, one of you go to the Poormaster and say: 'Mr. Willard, old Heb is dead; send a feller down and plant him.' That will be as good as a speech two hours' long. I'm sorry I was took here, but it wasn't my fault. You may go now."

The man went out thinking Uncle Heb was out of his mind, and sat down and played dominoes for an hour. Hearing no movement in the back room he opened the door.

The old man was dead!—*Detroit Free Press.*

A LIGHTHOUSE SWEPT AWAY.

CONANICUT POINT LIGHTHOUSE WASHED AWAY BY ANICE FIELD—THRILLING NARRATIVE.

NEWPORT, R.I., March 4, 1875.—At about twenty minutes past five o'clock this morning a heavy field of ice came down the river from Bullock's Cove with great rapidity, the wind at the time blowing a gale from the northeast. The weak foundation of the dwelling house connected with the Conanicut light house, located in Providence river, was an easy prey to the ice. The foundation, as soon as the ice struck it, caved in, and the structure, which is a small two-story wooden house, careened over and fell into the river. The keeper, Horace Arnold, and his son Ernest, aged nine years, were the only occupants. Mrs. Arnold and the rest of the family being on the shore visiting a friend.

SAVING A BOY.

The father, fortunately, did not lose his presence of mind at the suddenness of the catastrophe, but set his wits to work to save his boy. The building fell upon its side and at the time both were asleep in the upper story. By clinging to the debris, he got into the second story, where he found a blanket, which, save his night clothes, was all that kept the keen air from the little fellow. Mr. Arnold swam about for upwards of an hour with him upon his back, inside the building, but came to the conclusion that something must be done at once to attract the attention of the people on the shore, but which could not be done until late hour owing to the thick snow-storm prevailing. He accordingly procured a water-soaked mattress, tied it to the building inside and left the child upon it while he went into the tower of the lighthouse, to ring the bell and set a signal of distress.

RESCUE BY A TUG.

He had no sooner reached the tower than the tugboat *Reliance*, Captain Sutton of the American Steamboat Company, of Providence, hove in sight. The tug could not reach the house herself and was obliged to steam to the schooner *Oliver Jamison*, a mile distant, in order to get her boat and crew to assist in the rescue. This done they proceeded to the spot and rescued the boy from his perilous position, which he had occupied for three hours. He was completely exhausted and could have held out but a few moments longer. Restoratives were vigorously applied, and he will probably recover. His father was also taken from the lighthouse and landed at Nyatt Point in order to notify his agonized family and friends upon the adjacent shore of the safety of himself and child.

THE BOY BROUGHT TO NEWPORT.

Owing to the extreme cold it was not deemed advisable to land the boy, as he had no clothing—not so much as shoes or stockings. He was brought to this port in the tug. On arriving here some kind friends took him in charge, and, after furnishing him with clothes, went with him to the residence of a relative here. The building has been secured, and efforts were making this afternoon to save its contents.

Eight dollars in currency is the inexpensive rate at which travelers now go from Chicago to Baltimore or Washington on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 23, 1875.

Gold in New York, 116¼.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying, 87; selling, 88.

Legal tenders in San Francisco, 87½ buying, 87½ selling.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco ¼ of 1 per cent premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ of 1 per cent premium.

Coin Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Gold Bars 89.

The only Liverpool wheat quotation received to-day is 9s 2d for cargoes ex-warehouse. San Francisco papers of the 19th quote average California cargoes at Liverpool, per cental, 8s 10½d for average and 9s 0½d for club.

In financial circles there is a steady but very slow increase in the requirements of the legitimate business operations of the country, which, with a considerable drain on the monetary resources to pay for the importations of the spring season, the bills for which in some cases have already become due, renders money more in demand than hitherto, and causes the market to rule slightly closer as the season advances. The demand, however, is still freely met at the usual rates, both at banks and by outside parties. Those engaged in the breadstuffs trade have been drawing lightly on the money market for a month past, leaving a larger surplus for other investments than was anticipated. Had the demand from grain buyers been of as much value as was expected there might have resulted some serious inconvenience, as rates of cargoes of wheat and flour afloat have ruled unusually dull since the middle of last month and some shippers have been unable to obtain offers for cargoes almost due at Queenstown and Liverpool. The shipments made last fall seem now in a fair way to prove a loss in many cases to shippers, as charters then effected, though considered low at the time, were really high compared with sales which have been current since and the cargoes of high-cost vessels, if not soon placed, will come in competition with those which have paid the minimum freights and then, of course, the former must suffer. A realization upon the shipments made is one thing needed to stimulate business in our midst, as quite a large amount of capital which legitimately belongs in our State is tied up in these cargoes yet unsold.

As few years ago there was a good deal said about the disposition of certain nations in Asia to hoard the gold of the world, and various theories were presented by which it was proposed to reach and draw out the immense sums which, for years and even ages had been accumulating in India and China. Although we do not believe the enormous estimates in that regard were correct, there can now be no doubt there is in all the monetary centers of Europe a growing competition for specie. As remarked by the *Banker and Depositor*, with the Bank of England the constantly recurring anxiety to recover gold that has gone to the Continent amounts almost to a mania, and its efforts to secure that object produce perpetual disturbance in the money market. So important has this habit of the bank become in its bearings upon the general banking interests of England that we are not surprised that some people should seek a remedy—this taken in principle though it be—in demanding that the coin and bullion fund of the bank shall be increased permanently to something like £5,000,000 above the average amount of late years. This bank first for gold becomes the more important, from the fact that there is an unfortunate tendency among the European governments to discard silver as a circulating medium and use only gold—a policy which Germany has already put in force, and which Belgium last year carried out to the extent of near $13,000,000.

General Trade.

The wintry weather, still prevalent, in some respects renders matters under this head more active, and in others, serves to keep in check the spring business. The state of the roads in the interior prevents farmers from hauling their produce to the points of transportation, and many of the warehouses, which early in the season were filled nearly as rapidly as the cars and boats emptied them, are now bare of grain. But little wheat and almost no oats are to be bought in the warehouses this side of Harrisburg, that remaining in store being already held by shippers. The heavy rains have been of an advantage in producing a sufficient stage of water, however, for the boats to reach points further up, and receipts thence are larger.

Had weather also, without doubt, has made interior merchants slower about entering the market for spring stocks, and but few of them have as yet bought largely, as they deem that in the present condition of affairs nothing is lost by waiting. The merchandise market to-day is dull, and no important changes or transactions are noticed.

Shipping Intelligence.

The schooner Hera, for San Francisco, with 16,000 bushels wheat, 16,000 pounds tallow, and 4 lots of doors, will go down the river to-morrow.

The barkentine Webfoot is receiving flour to-day; She will probably sail on Friday.

The steamship Gussie Telfair is announced to sail for Northern ports at 2 P. M. to-morrow.

The steamship Oridamme, from San Francisco, arrived at about 10:30 this evening.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Arrived—Brig Kolos Apia, Navigator Islands.

Sailed—British ship Hogue, Queenstown; ship Semiramis, Liverpool; bark Dublin, Seabeck; steamer Empire, Coos bay.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Flour—Best city brands extra, $6@6 87½; shipping, $1 62½; choice grades, $1 50@1 70.

Barley—Feed, $1 40@1 42½; brewing, $1 50@1 55.

Oats—$1 50@1 67.

Corn—Yellow, $1 35.

Hay—$10@16.

Potatoes—$1 70@1 80 for Humboldt and Petaluma.

Produce Market.

WHEAT—There's no further development in the market in this cereal, the expectation of leading buyers being, as they allege, that in a few days the season's movement will subside and matters settle down to about the condition which obtains were in two weeks ago. In the meantime a few lots, rather small in quantity, are changing hands, sold generally on obtaining $1 30 per cental for such as they desire to sell, if of good shipping grade.

OATS—The surplus yet in the State we think is held more largely in the farmers' hands than many persons think, some asserting that because the warehouses along the line of transportation are empty, that there are but few logs in the country for sale. While we do not estimate the quantity remaining up to be the average taking one year with another, we yet think a brisk demand at advanced prices would bring lost quite a large amount. Quotations at present are 95@85c per bushel. Receipts are very light.

FLOUR—The market is unchanged in important particulars. Movements are fairly active and both receipts and shipments active. The quotes at $5 75@6 50 barrel for jobbing lots of standard extras; $1 for good middle and country brands and $5 50@5 75 for superfine.

BARLEY—The demand is fair for local consumption, but receipts very light. Quotable nominally at $1 25 a hundred lbs for good feed and $1 30@1 40 for choice brewing.

MILL FEED—There is a very fair demand for most grades at firm prices and trade is active at $20@22 50 per ton for middlings bran, $17@18; chops, $25@27 50; shorts, $20; oil cake, $30.

HAY—Is still in moderate request at $10@12 per ton for timothy, with a decline in the receipts. Wild hay finds slow sale at $7@7 50.

POTATOES—There is a fair demand for good lots for shipment at 72½@75c per bushel, the range of quotations being 50@75c.

ONIONS—The demand is rather dull again, and $1@1 25 are given as buyers' figures.

APPLES, DRIED—Receipts, though decreasing in quantity, are larger than was anticipated at the time of the freeze. Quotations are now 7½@8½ per box, best qualities, assorted and neatly packed for shipment.

APPLES DRIED—The trade is inactive, but prices are nominally steady at 6c ₰ lb, in sacks, and 8c in kegs.

BACON—Shipments are being made of the surplus in this market to San Francisco, where prices are also down to an unprofitable figure. Our quotations for sides are 16@17c; hams 18@19c, shoulders 9@10c. Receipts are not very large for this week.

LARD—There is a fair demand for good quality in tierces and kegs, quotable at 11c ₰ lb in the former, and 12c in kegs.

BUTTER—There is nothing new in this article to note, the supply being still short of choice, while common lots are plenty. Prices depend onquality, ranging from 20@30c ₰ lb.

LARD—There is more distinction between kegs and tins; quotable in the former at 14c ₰ lb, and in the latter at 15c.

BUTTER—Prices are nearly as last given, with a downward tendency, and quotations must be according to quality. Choice dairy is in brisk demand. Common is more plentiful.

EGGS—The market is more plentiful, and quotations are down to 15 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Choice lots of full grown are worth $1 50@$2 ₰ dozen; common and mixed, $1 50@1.

DRESSED HOGS—The packing season having closed, the only demand is for the home trade and is not brisk at 6@6½c ₰ lb.

BEEF CATTLE—These have been but few arrivals of choice lots during the past week, and for such, prices have advanced to 6@6½ cts ₰ lb net on foot; ordinary quotable at 5@5½c.

MUTTON SHEEP—There are very few lots offering, and choice are worth $2 50@3 75 a head, and some at the extreme of $4.

HIDES AND FURS—A duller demand for shipping purposes prevails and receipts are light. We quote for choice dry 12½c ₰ lb; green salted, 7c; green, 6½c; calfs, 10@12c; kip, 12c ₰ lb; deer, 18@20c ₰ lb; dried, and 50@75c apiece; green sheep skins, each, $1@1 50; dry, 25@35c per lb.

WOOL—Very few transactions are taking place; best grades quotable at 20@22c ₰ lb, common to inferior, 16@18c.

General Merchandise.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Trade is quiet and prices for seasonable goods firm at current quotations. Mitchell wagons, $125; Lee Bros., Buffalo, $120; Studebaker, $120; Pacific do, $120@125. Seasonable Goods are in full supply.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Burlap, standard, 12½@c ₰ l yard, 2 bushel, 3½@4c; do, 1 bushel, 2½@3c; Grain bags, 1 bushel, 2½@3c; do, 2 bushel, 3½@4c; Wool, 60 inches, 22@23c; do, 72 inches, 28@30c; Flax seed, 21@22c; do; Wool, 60 lbs, 20@22c; do, 72 lbs, 24@26c; Barley, 16 inch, 10, 10½, 11 and 12c; do, 20 inch, 12½@13c; Oregon do, 8½@9c; Cotton, 10@12c; Hop, 20@22c; Sugar, 10@12c; Fruit, 10@12c; Flour, 8½@9c; Wool sacks, 40@45c; Grain do, 30@35